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**Attachments:** v7 Donlin Week 1 Travel Itinerary.docx  
Week 1 Scoping - Typical Meeting Schedule.docx

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Dear Friends,

Moxie was able to confirm lodging in Aniak at the Vocational Education building (including the Corps travel party of 8, plus Mark Jen. Details on room assignments and fees to follow. There is a small fee, but we can pay with individual checks and receive receipts.

As a result of securing rooms in Aniak, there is no need to bring sleeping bags.

(Mark, I am not sure if you have arranged alternative lodging in Crooked Creek, but you may want to bring a sleeping bag, as a backup there.)

I have seen e-mail traffic through the day confirming arrangements with Donlin and Mark for travel from Crooked Creek back to Aniak.

Please find attached the revised Itinerary v.7. And the revised sheet summarizing the meeting times, places and meeting format.

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## Donlin Gold Project – Scoping Week 1 For the Corps Team

(v7 as of January 10, 2013)

**Update: Lodging in Aniak is now secure at the Voc-Ed Center. We also have secured ground transportation in Aniak, as noted below.**

**(URS has handled bookings for the charters, lodging in Crooked Creek and Aniak, and ground transportation. The Corps, BLM, and ADNR were handling reservations for scheduled commercial flights, and lodging in Bethel.)**

Don Kuhle, USACE (907) (b) (6)	Mary Vavrik, Court Reporter (b) (6) (c)	Doug Ballou BLM, 907- (b) (6) (c)	Jeff Bruno (b) (6)
Taylor Brelsford, URS (907) 244-2992 (cell)	Moxie Alexie, URS (b) (6) (cell)	Teresa McPherson, BLM (b) (6) (c)	Sarah Yoder, ADHSS (b) (6)
<b><u>Lodging &amp; Meals</u></b> <b>Bethel</b> – Allanivik Hotel, (907) 543-4305, 1220 Chief Eddie Hoffman Highway Meals in Bethel available at cafes. <b>Aniak</b> – Kuspuk School District Vocational Center dorm, Eva Passamika (907) 675-4721 <b>Crooked Creek</b> – Janine, Road House/Thomas Trading Post (907) 432-2224 Meals in Crooked Creek provided.		<b><u>Air Transportation</u></b> Alaska Air (800) 252-7522 Alaska Air Bethel Office (907) 543-3907 Era Aviation (Charter) (907) 266-8381 Era Bethel Office (907) 543-3800 Hageland Aniak Office (907) 675-4572 Aniak Station Agent (907) Crooked Creek Station Agent (907)	
<b><u>Pack</u></b> Personal snacks Cold weather gear Cash for Bethel meals Plan/bring food for dinner 1/15, breakfast 1/16 at Aniak		<b><u>Ground Transportation</u></b> <b>D&amp;G Express/Bethel Car Rental</b> – 8-passenger van rental 543-2345 Mike “Muk” <b>Aniak-</b> Dave & Jacey Automotive (907) 675-4464w (907) 444-6421 cell <b>Crooked Creek</b> – Road House manager & station agent Janine (907) 432-2224	

### Monday, January 14 - Bethel

Time	Activity
12:33pm	Depart Anchorage – Alaska Airlines #43
1:40pm	Arrive Bethel – Bethel Car Rental to pick-up party at airport Drop-off luggage at Allanivik Hotel; drop-off equipment at Cultural Center
3:00 pm – 5 pm	KYUK Radio talk. Don fields questions from listeners. Monica Shelden to translate. Shane Iverson (907) 543-0229 or email <a href="mailto:shane@kyuk.org">shane@kyuk.org</a>
5:00 pm	Set-up meeting space
6:00 pm	<b>Meeting @ Yupiit Piciryarait Cultural Center</b> , 420 Chief Eddie Hoffman Highway, Bethel Reyne Athanas (907) 543-4538 or Allen Typpo; Monica Shelden, Translator <b>phone #</b>
9:00 pm	Meeting clean-up; return to hotel in van Dinner options: take-out

**Tuesday, January 15 - Aniak**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>
8:00 am	Breakfast
9:55 am	Hageland #7H-3415 flight departs Bethel
10:50 am	Flight arrives in Aniak – Jason to deliver Ford Explorer rental, drop-off bags at Vocational Center (lodging)
12:00 pm	Lunch at School
1:00 pm	Informal meeting with tribal or City leaders?? No GtoG meeting scheduled.
5:00 pm	Set-up meeting space
<b>6:00 pm</b>	<b>Meeting @ Aniak High School</b> Mrs. Alan, Kuspuk School District (907) 675-4363
8:30 pm	Clean up and take down
9:00 pm	Cook our own meals at Vocational Center, Eva Passamika (907) 675-4721

**Wednesday, January 16 - Crooked Creek**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>
8:00 am	Cook our own breakfast at Aniak B&B/apartment
9:00 am	Check-in at Era Aviation
10:00 am	Era Aviation Charter departs Aniak
11:00	Arrive in Crooked Creek; pickup by station agent & Road House manager Janine (907) 432-2224
11:30 am	Drop equipment at Tribal Council Office; drop bags at Road House (a.k.a. Thomas Trading Post)
12:00 pm	Lunch at Road House
1:00 pm	Tribal consultation meeting in Crooked Creek. Don will conduct this meeting
4:00 pm	Meeting Set-up
<b>6:00 pm</b>	<b>Meeting @ Crooked Creek Tribal Council</b> Evelyn Thomas, Native Village of Crooked Creek (907) 432-2253
8:00 pm	Clean up and take down
9:00 pm	Dinner provided at Road House

**Thursday, January 17 – Return to Anchorage**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>
8:00 am	Breakfast provided at Road House
10:00 am	Era Aviation Charter departs Crooked Creek for Aniak
11:00 am	Arrive in Aniak
12:10 pm	Era Aviation #7H-817 departs Aniak for Anchorage
1:30pm	Flight arrives Anchorage



## Week 1 Scoping Meetings

<b>Bethel</b> Monday, January 14, 2013 <b>KYUK Radio Show</b> 3:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m. Call-in show (1 hour)  Presenter: Don Kuhle, Taylor Brelsford supporting Host: Shane Iverson Translator: Monica Shelden
<b>Bethel</b> Monday, January 14, 2013 6:00 p.m. Yup'it Piciryarait Cultural Center	6:00 Open House (30 min) 6:30 Presentation (1 hour) 7:30 Additional Questions & Scoping Comments (1 hour)  Presenter: Don Kuhle, Taylor Brelsford supporting Translator: Monica Shelden
<b>Aniak</b> Tuesday, January 15th, 2013 6:00 p.m. Aniak High School	6:00 Open House (30 min) 6:30 Presentation (1 hour) 7:30 Additional Questions & Scoping Comments (1 hour)  Presenter: Don Kuhle, Taylor Brelsford supporting Translator (as needed): Moxie Alexie
<b>Crooked Creek</b> Wednesday, January 16th, 2013 6:00 p.m. Tribal Council Office	6:00 Open House (30 min) 6:30 Presentation (1 hour) 7:30 Additional Questions & Scoping Comments (1 hour)  Presenter: Don Kuhle, Taylor Brelsford supporting Translator (as needed): Moxie Alexie
<b>Anchorage</b> Tuesday, January 22, 2013 6:00 p.m. Wilda Marston Theatre Loussac Library	6:00 Open House (30 min) 6:30 Presentation (1 hour) 7:30 Additional Questions & Scoping Comments (1 hour)  Presenter: Don Kuhle, Taylor Brelsford supporting Translator (as needed): Moxie Alexie

Court Report Mary Vavrik of Midnight Sun Court  
Reporters will attend all meetings.